

**UNITED STATES DISTRICT COURT  
EASTERN DISTRICT OF VIRGINIA**

**UNITED STATES OF AMERICA**

v.

**PLEA AGREEMENT HEARING**

**CARL SARA**

Case No. 1:17CR54

HONORABLE LIAM O'GRADY presiding  
Proceeding Held: September 6, 2017  
Deputy Clerk: Amanda

Time Called: 11:01 a.m.  
Time Concluded: 11:26 a.m.  
Court Reporter: N. Linnell

**Appearances:**

UNITED STATES OF AMERICA by:

James Burke, Nathaniel Smith

CARL SARA in person and by:

Christopher Muha, John Jefferson

INTERPRETER: None

☐ Interpreter Sworn

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| <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Defense counsel advises that defendant wishes to enter a plea of guilty              | <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Court advises defendant as to:                                   |
| <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Plea agreement filed   | <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Elements of the offense  |
| <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Defendant has reviewed plea agreement with counsel and is satisfied w/representation | <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Maximum penalties  |
| <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Defendant sworn  | <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Mandatory minimum sentence                                       |
| <input type="checkbox"/> Defendant advised that false statements made under oath may result in prosecution for perjury   | <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Forfeiture provision   |
| <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Court questions defendant as to background, education, medical history, drug usage   | <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Sentencing guidelines  |
|  | <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Right to a jury trial  |
|  | <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Waiver of appeal rights  |
|  | <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Government provides factual basis as set forth in plea agreement |

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| <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> GUILTY plea entered to Count(s) Two of the <input type="checkbox"/> indictment, <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> superseding indictment, <input type="checkbox"/> information | <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Court finds Defendant's plea to be knowing and voluntary and that a factual basis exists for the plea |
| <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> PSR ordered  | <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Defendant adjudged guilty   |
| <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Sentencing set for: December 8, 2017 @ 9:00 a.m.   | <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> JT dates removed from court calendar  |

☒ Detention continued; or ☐ Bond continued: ☒ as previously set, or ☐ as modified: